

Model	List	Invoice
DX 2-Dr Coupe	\$9,678	\$8,710
DX 4-Dr Sedan	9,778	8,800
LE 4-Dr Sedan	11,308	9,724

**Comments:** A 1993 Best Buy; see page 56.

**Std Equip:** 1.5-liter 4-cyl eng, 4-spd MT, PB, driver's-side airbag, 145/80R13 tires. **DX:** 5-spd MT or 3-spd AT (add \$500), 155/80R13 tires. **LE:** PS, AM/FM stereo radio, rear defroster. **Freight Charge:** \$325; in Texas, Okla., Ark., La. and Miss.; \$392; in Fla., Ala., Ga. and N.C. and S.C. \$389.

Options		
Air Conditioning	\$672	
All-Weather Package	158	
Convenience Package	188	
Defroster, Rear	110	
Emissions, Calif.	85	
Radio, AM/FM Stereo	157	
Deluxe	255	
LE	97	
w/Cassette	367	
LE	210	
Steering, Power	222	

## VOLKSWAGEN

### CABRIOLET

Model	List	Invoice
2-Dr Convertible	\$18,380	NA
Classic 2-Dr Convertible	19,930	NA

**Comments:** Subcompact front-drive convertible. Stiff, rough-riding ragtop that's priced higher than the more-desirable Mazda Miata; high maintenance costs and insurance rates, especially for theft coverage. **EPA mpg:** NA.

**Std Equip:** 1.8-liter 4-cyl eng, 5-spd MT, PB, PS, AM/FM-cassette stereo radio, rear defroster, power windows, 185/60R14 tires. **Classic:** Cruise control, leather upholstery. **Freight Charge:** \$375, in Hawaii \$420.

**Options**

TBA

**Comments:** Compact front-drive. An all-new version of the Golf is set to debut in early 1993.

### CORRADO

Model	List	Invoice
SLC 2-Dr Coupe	\$22,870	NA

**Comments:** Subcompact rear-drive sports coupe. Nimble two-door with precise handling that's newly equipped with a powerful V6 engine, but otherwise overpriced and trailing its class. **EPA mpg:** 17/23-18/25.

**Std Equip:** 2.8-liter 6-cyl eng, 5-spd MT, PB, PS, air conditioning, AM/FM-cassette stereo radio, traction control, alarm system, cruise control, rear defroster, power door locks and windows, tilt steering column, 205/50VR15 tires. **Freight Charge:** \$375, in Hawaii \$420.

**Options**

TBA

### FOX

Model	List	Invoice
2-Dr Coupe	\$8,690	\$8,035
GL 4-Dr Sedan	9,520	8,655

**Comments:** Subcompact front-drive. Value-packed small car with strong acceleration and solid handling is nevertheless outclassed by newer subcompacts, and hampered by the lack of an automatic transmission; low repair costs but high insurance rates. **EPA mpg:** 25/33.

**Std Equip:** 1.8-liter 4-cyl eng, 5-spd MT, PB, air conditioning, rear defroster, 175/70SR13 tires. **Freight Charge:** \$375, in Hawaii \$420.

**Options**

TBA

**Comments:** Compact front-drive. An all-new version of the Fox is set to debut in early 1993.

### GOLF III

Model	List	Invoice
2-Dr Hatchback	TBA	NA
4-Dr Hatchback	TBA	NA
GTI 2-Dr Hatchback	TBA	NA

**Comments:** Compact front-drive. An all-new version of the Golf is set to debut in early 1993.

with modest improvements; not yet reviewed by **CD. EPA mpg:** 21/28-24/32.

**Comments:** Subcompact rear-drive sports coupe. Nimble two-door with precise handling that's newly equipped with a powerful V6 engine, but otherwise overpriced and trailing its class. **EPA mpg:** 17/23-18/25.

**Std Equip:** 2.8-liter 6-cyl eng, 5-spd MT, PB, PS, air conditioning, AM/FM-cassette stereo radio, traction control, alarm system, cruise control, rear defroster, power door locks and windows, tilt steering column, 205/50VR15 tires. **Freight Charge:** \$375, in Hawaii \$420.

**Options**

TBA

### JETTA III

Model	List	Invoice
4-Dr Sedan	TBA	NA
Diesel 4-Dr Sedan	TBA	NA
GLI 2-Dr Hatchback	TBA	NA

**Comments:** Compact front-drive. An all-new version is set to debut in early 1993, with modest improvements. **EPA mpg:** 21/28-23/30.

### PASSAT

Model	List	Invoice
GL 4-Dr Sedan	\$17,610	NA
GLX 4-Dr Sedan	21,130	NA
GLX 4-Dr Wagon	21,560	NA

**Comments:** Midsize front-drive. Roomy sedan offers precise European handling but odd interior ergonomics and sluggish performance, unless you opt for the expensive six-cylinder version. **EPA mpg:** 17/24-21/30.

**Std Equip:** 2.0-liter 4-cyl eng, 5-spd MT, PB, PS, air conditioning, AM/FM-cassette stereo radio, cruise control, rear defroster, tilt steering column, alarm system, power door locks and windows, 195/60VR14 tires. **GLX:** 2.8-liter 6-cyl eng, power sunroof. **Freight Charge:** \$375, in Hawaii \$420.

**Options**

TBA

### VOLVO

Model	List	Invoice
4-Dr Sedan	\$21,820	NA
4-Dr Wagon	22,820	NA

**Comments:** Midsize rear-drive. Chunky-looking conservative sedan has a sterling reputation for longevity and safety; strong resale and low

insurance rates. **EPA mpg:** 20/25-21/28.

**Std Equip:** 2.3-liter 4-cyl eng, 5-spd MT, antilock PB, PS, air conditioning, AM/FM-cassette stereo radio, rear defroster, power door locks and windows, 185/70TR14 tires. **Freight Charge:** NA.

**Options**

TBA

### 900 SERIES

Model	List	Invoice
940 4-Dr Sedan	\$24,995	NA
940 4-Dr Wagon	25,995	NA
960 4-Dr Sedan	35,675	NA
960 4-Dr Wagon	36,675	NA

**Comments:** Midsize rear-drive luxury. Plush Volvo provides best acceleration and handling, with a smooth ride and good interior comfort. **EPA mpg:** 17/25-19/27.

**Std Equip:** 2.3-liter 4-cyl eng, 4-spd AT, antilock PB, PS, driver's-side airbag, air conditioning, AM/FM-cassette stereo radio, cruise control, rear defroster, power door locks, sunroof and windows, 185/65TR15 tires. **TE:** 2.3-liter turbocharged 4-cyl eng, power LH seat, alloy wheels, 205/55VR16 tires. **900:** Dual heated power seats, leather upholstery, 195/65VR15 tires. **Freight Charge:** NA.

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